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DOLLIVER'S MODEL BILL.

Iowa Senator Introduces an Important Measure.

Intended to Simplify Rate Regulation Methods.

Its Provisions Sanctioned by the President.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Senator Dolliver today introduced a bill designed to simplify the rate regulation measure proposed by the Interstate Commerce Commission. It authorizes the commission to fix and enforce maximum and reasonable rates to go into effect thirty days after notice. The court procedure of the commission is also simplified.

It seems that the bill has been introduced in the Senate.

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Further debate the conference report was agreed to and on motion of Mr. Spooner the measure from the House was referred to the Committee on Finance with instructions to present the report on the subject.

The Senate then, at 2:40, adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

MORE INSURANCE ROARS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The House today continued debating under the guise of referring the measure of the President to committees, topics of interest, local or national. The subject of the Federal control of insurance was the main feature, and nearly all the speakers began their remarks with reference to it. The management of the big insurance companies came in for criticism, the government was criticized for its lack of control in matters where it has jurisdiction, and the States were reprimanded for lax methods of control. The day was passed without legislation and ended with an amusing debate on the question of appointing a janitor at \$60 a month to the reception room on the minority side of the chamber. The minority refused the offer of the majority in this matter, and with their aid the janitor was rejected. The House refused to consider a resolution to ask the Secretary of the Interior to certify the mineral value of black sand.

Reviewing the various propositions which have been advanced for insurance control, Mr. Bonyon of Colorado drew that no plans presented showed a clear way. There was ample opportunity to enact a law providing that shall constitute crimes in Federal elections and to provide penalties against their violation. Such laws were, he said, demanded by present conditions.

Mr. Macon of Arkansas was interrupted in a speech on insurance in order that the report on the canal might be heard. Mr. Williams, the minority leader, objected to action on the report until tomorrow, as it did not contain the precedents in such matters to be broken. This objection carried the report over a day.

At 4:55 the House adjourned until tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

LAWLER AMONG THEM.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Senate in executive session today confirmed the following nominations:

Surveyor-General: Edward T. Woodward, District of San Francisco.

Receiver of Land Office: F. S. Hill, District of Phoenix, Ariz.

Register of Land Office: Milton R. Moore, District of Phoenix, Ariz.

District Attorney: Oscar Lawler, Southern District of California.

Postmaster: Norman Ashcroft, Hollywood, Cal.

GUITY OF GRAFT.

PAL OF MACHEN CONVICTED.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The jury in the case of William G. Crawford, former Postoffice Auditor, who was indicted on a charge of conspiracy with August W. Machen and George E. Loe, returned a verdict of guilty.

The jury also found Crawford guilty on an indictment charging him with presenting false vouchers for reimbursement of his salary.

Notice was immediately given by defendant's counsel that application would be made for a new trial, pending the Crawford was released on \$1000 bail.

GETTING GOOD MUY PRONTO.

WESTERN ROADS ENTER INTO A REMARKABLE AGREEMENT.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today announced that it had received a letter from the Western Railroad Association, in which the association proposed to enter into an agreement with the commission to regulate the rates of the carrier to fix its rates with reference to a reasonable maximum prescribed by the commission.

The bill provided upon the theory that such an order of the commission would be a supplementary order of the commission, and would not be a new order of the commission.

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CANNOT DISMISS NAVAL HAZERS.

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY HAS NO SUCH AUTHORITY.

Under the Laws as Now Constituted Midshipmen Guilty of Wrongdoing at Naval Academy Can Only be Expelled After Trial by Court-Martial, Says Attorney-General.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Secretary Bonaparte has found that he has no power to dismiss Midshipmen Coffin and Vandever, charged with having committed a crime at the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md.

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Person Killed and Forty Injured in Most Extraordinary Accident—Fireman Victim of Falling Train in Chicago.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—In one of the most extraordinary accidents in the history of the American railroad, a passenger train crashed from the elevated tracks of the Chicago and North Western Central and Hudson River Railroad at Harlem, N. Y., tonight at 11 o'clock. One person was killed and forty persons were injured.

The accident occurred when the train, which was carrying about 100 passengers, was crossing the elevated tracks. It was moving at a speed of about 20 miles an hour when it suddenly derailed and fell from the tracks. The train was carrying a large number of passengers, and the accident resulted in a great loss of life and property.

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CAPT. BROWN'S WILL.

Valuable Diamonds Bequeathed to Pretty Housekeeper and Divorced Wife's Home Cleared.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The late Capt. S. S. Brown has left a collection of diamonds to his pretty housekeeper, made provision for paying off a mortgage on the property of his divorced wife, and authorized his executor to loan money to a medical student to complete his education. These were some of the features brought to light when the dead turfman's will was made available for public examination today.

Much speculation was current regarding the whereabouts of the valuable collection of diamonds which Capt. Brown was known to have owned. This was set at rest today when it was learned that four days before he died Capt. Brown summoned to his room Miss Martha Lewis, his housekeeper, and in the presence of a nurse formally presented the magnificent gems to her. In addition Capt. Brown's will leaves to Miss Lewis a box of valuable silverware.

A paragraph in the dead man's will directs his executor to satisfy, as soon as possible, a mortgage against the property of his divorced wife, Mrs. Lizette Brown, in Asbury Park, N. J. The amount of the mortgage is not stated. Another clause of the will directs the executor of Capt. Brown's estate to loan from time to time, and without security, to Samuel J. Lewis, a student at the University of Pennsylvania, \$5,000, as he may need to pursue his study of medicine.

Capt. Brown's property at his old home, which was in the city of Pittsburgh, he sold until 1910. All his real estate is to be sold by that time, but his brother, Harry Brown, is given the right to purchase any of it at its appraised value.

Robert Tucker, manager of the racetrack at Lexington, Ky., was named in the will as the executor of the late Capt. Brown's estate. Tucker is a Kentucky native and has been in the racing business for many years.

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SIDE TALKS BY THE OFFICE BOY

The old man came out to the house to call on Mr. and Mrs. the other Sunday. He wanted to talk to them about taking the East with him the first of January. It was warm and pleasant so we all sat out on the porch, the old man got into the hammock, but he was so heavy the hammock sagged so he knew his time in the hammock was short. I'd hate to have to sit in the hammock, but he was so heavy the hammock sagged so he knew his time in the hammock was short. I'd hate to have to sit in the hammock, but he was so heavy the hammock sagged so he knew his time in the hammock was short.

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S. Nordlinger & Son Jewelers...

ESTABLISHED 1869
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185 S. Spring St.

The Broadway Department Store

STORE OPEN THIS EVENING 'TILL 10 O'CLOCK

BIG BARGAINS FROM 8 TO 10 TONIGHT

MANY GIFT THINGS AT SHARP REDUCTIONS

This store will be open tonight, Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week, to enable those who cannot shop during the day to do their Christmas trading. In addition to the regular advertised lines we are offering extra special inducements throughout the store for the evening hours. Note the time carefully and be prompt in every case. No phone or mail orders for these evening specials.

Choice of All Our Men's House Coats

That Sell Regularly Up to \$10.00 \$5.00

FROM 8 TO 10.

This evening from 8 to 10 we give you unrestricted choice of our entire stock of men's high-grade smoking jackets and house coats, that sell regularly up to \$10.00, at the uniform price of \$5.00. These garments are made of fine all-wool meltons, golf cloth and fancy homespun. They are all richly trimmed, and there's all sizes to choose from. This is an opportunity to secure Christmas gifts at a remarkable saving.

Boys' \$1.50 Wool Sweaters 98c

6 TO 10 THIS EVENING.

Boys' all-wool sweaters, plain or fancy striped; juvenile and button-down-front styles for small boys, turtle-neck styles for larger boys; regular \$1.50 values; this evening, from 6 to 10 only, choice, each, 98c.

Boys' \$2.00 Sweaters \$1.50

Boys' all-wool sweaters, desirable colors; all the wanted styles; sizes up to 16 years; regular \$2.00 values; 6 to 10 this evening, choice, each, \$1.50.

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Boys' all-wool sweaters, in plain colors or silk mercerized stripe; plain blue, red, green, brown, etc.; sizes 26 to 34; regular \$2.50 values; 6 to 10 this evening, choice, each, \$1.98.

Women's New Style Waists \$2.98

POSITIVE \$5.00 VALUES—8 TO 10 TONIGHT.

This evening between the hours of 8 and 10 we offer a wonderful collection of women's nobby waists, made of baby Irish lace, figured Louisiana and taffeta; nobby, up-to-date sleeves in the newest styles; some short sleeve effects; colors suitable for evening wear, such as light blue, tan, navy, also white and black; these are positive \$5.00 values, and just when you need them most for Christmas gifts. Between the hours stated only, choice, each, \$2.98.

\$1.50 Wool Dress Goods 69c

Fine wool dress goods, in evening shades, consisting of such materials as silk and wool crepe de chine, silk subline, prunella, crepe de Paris and eolienne, in all the desirable shades; 42 to 46-inch widths; regular values from \$1.25 to \$1.50; 6 o'clock until 10 only this evening, the yard, 69c.

\$1.00 Messaline and White Silk 58c

Extra finished messaline, in all colors including the delicate evening shades and white silk poplins, crystal cords and armures, in seeded effects suitable for fancy waists; regular \$1.00 values; this evening from 6 to 10, the yard, 58c.

Shopping Bags \$1.25

VALUES TO \$2.50.

Women's new shopping bags, made of walrus, seal and Morocco leathers; envelope, vanity and Vienna shapes; all the latest fittings; regular values to \$2.50; on sale this evening, from 8 to 9 only, choice, each, \$1.25.

15c FANCY RIBBONS 5c

High-grade fancy ribbons, all silk; figured patterns; woven designs; 3 1/2 inches wide; regular 15c value; this evening, from 6 to 10, the yard, 5c.

10c SWISS KERCHIEFS 5c

Women's Swiss handkerchiefs, of good quality, with hemstitched borders, embroidered in one corner; 10c values; 6 to 10 this evening, choice, each, 5c.

75c CUFF BUTTONS 25c

7 TO 8 THIS EVENING.

Gold-filled cuff buttons, 14 carat; plain and fancy designs; some set with jewels; exceptional values at 75c; a large assortment to select from; on sale this evening, between the hours of 7 and 8, no phone or mail orders, the pair, 25c.

35c FANCY NECKWEAR 5c

Women's stock collars, some mercerized, others of silk, others in tab effects; good colors; regular values to 35c; this evening, from 6 to 10, choice, the yard, 5c.

\$15.00 PILLOW TOPS \$2.49

Embroidered pillow tops; finished, hand work; good assortment of designs; record and tassel or ribbon ruffles; values to \$15.00; 6 to 10 this evening, choice, each, \$2.49.

BARKER BROS. HOLIDAY SPECIALS

IF YOU ARE STILL IN DOUBT THIS LIST MAY HELP YOU OUT

Articles here that will be sure to please Father, Mother, Son or Daughter—the men folks or the fair sex—friend or family, old or young.

Largest Store, Largest Stock Lowest Prices

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A notable specimen of the genus "new woman" has just struck Los Angeles. This personage combines the occupations of a teacher, an exhorter, a nurse, a real estate agent, and a woman of letters. She is driven by stress of health to active outdoor work here before returning to Liberia.



MISS ELLEN CORINNE BERKELEY.

A nurse, with credentials, to the afflicted. A missionary to Liberia, sent out by the American Missionary Board, and with ten years' experience in darkest Africa. A real estate agent, and a first-class bootblack—there's where she shines! Miss Ellen Corinne Berkeley is this "new woman," and she has opened a bootblack stand at First and San Pedro streets. This is but a means to an end, says the woman bootblack. She is bound to return to Monrovia, Liberia, where her "mission" lies, she says; and the shoddy dimes which come to her in shining shoes she declares are to be used to pay her passage back to the land of her forebears. "My heart is in the African mission work, and I must go back," says Miss Berkeley, as she industriously shoves the brittle brushes. "Is there anything to be ashamed of in this work, if I do it well?" she asks. "I am here because my physician says it is best for me to remain in Southern California this winter, and that I must live out of doors. Of course, I could do housework, and I can cook, I tell you, with the best woman in the South; I might get work in half a dozen different lines of employment; but they all require that I be inside of buildings, and I must live in the open air. At this work I can make my expenses and a little more, which I am saving to carry me back to Africa just as soon as my health will permit." Ellen Berkeley has an interesting history. She was educated in one of the church mission schools of the South. Her native place is Louisville, N. C. At an early age she showed much interest in religious matters, and when

only nine years old she was licensed an exhorter by the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church.

Sharon Small, who died last January, was appointed her guardian, and under his direction the little girl visited many of the churches of his denomination. The sight of this childish personage preaching the gospel caused much interest, and she said many persons flocked to meetings, and large revivals were noted throughout the Southern States among the negroes.

In 1898 Miss Berkeley was ordained a missionary, and was sent out to Liberia by the American Board of Missions—the only colored person at that time in the Liberian mission work. She went to Monrovia, where from there worked back into the interior, laboring until her health failed. She then obtained passage to return to America, and went back to North Carolina, where she assisted in the schools for colored people.

In company with two other teachers from that State, she went to Buffalo, to attend the exposition. They had scarcely reached the exposition grounds before Miss Berkeley discovered she had been robbed of every cent she possessed. She went back to her room, not knowing which way to turn for aid. As she stood at the entrance to her lodging, a man came up to her, and asked her to step into his room. When the next customer appeared she motioned him to a seat and began on his shoes. The outcome seemed to be satisfactory, for the customer liberally rewarded her. By the time the owner of the stand had returned the missionary had earned a dollar. The very novelty of the thing appealed to the owner of the stand, and he offered her half the proceeds if she would continue the work. Stranded without friends in Buffalo, the woman gladly took the place and worked there much of the time of the fair. Agate ill health, however, prevented her from doing more, and after trying various places for relief, the doctors ordered her to come to Southern California.

Miss Berkeley, in the short time she has been here, has assisted the colored masters at several of the churches, and says she is planning to hold a camp meeting in Los Angeles before she starts on her return journey to Liberia.

She says she has acted as a real estate agent, a book agent, a nurse, and in various capacities in office work, but that this plan of bootblack seems to be the best solution of her opportunity for outdoor life, and that she will continue it until she departs for her mission.

When the elevator boy started for his first trip, he had raised his car to the height of but a few feet, and was warned of an obstruction of some kind, and immediately dropped to the basement and reported to the engineer, who ordered the cars to remain stationary. He observed a slacking of the cable, but it was some time before the cause could be discovered, but going to the top of the shaft he found the body of a man wedged between the weights and an iron beam. It required three men almost an hour to extricate it from its position, and his life was extinct, it was immediately taken to the morgue of Broese Bros., where a verdict of accidental death, under the above circumstances, was rendered by a coroner's jury last night.

Whatever influences are at work, the effect is evident. Certain members of the municipal government are said to be taking options on a good deal of property along Downey avenue, and some of the heaviest real estate firms in the city are also taking a great deal of interest in property along the thoroughfare. Of course, no details will be allowed to leak out as long as they can be kept under the lid.

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Awful Fate That Befell the Assistant Engineer of the Douglas Block Yesterday Morning.

Death in terrible form came to Clifford J. Rudd yesterday morning in the Douglas Block. All alone, with no one to warn and no hand to lend assistance, he was instantly killed at the very top of one of the passenger elevator shafts of the big block, at the corner of Third and Spring streets. Rudd was assistant engineer of the building and thoroughly understood the duties of his position, which he has filled for the past four years. Yesterday morning before the elevators started he had been to the platform, and by means of a door provided for the purpose, entered the counter-weight shaft of the north elevator, above the top floor of the building. At this point a platform had been constructed by Rudd, many months ago, upon which he stood when at work adjusting the tension of the cables, and he must have been standing on this platform, whether he left it before being caught by the great weights or not, can never be told. It is known, however, that his body was found lying across an iron beam with the enormous weight of almost a ton resting upon it, and everything seemed to show that he had been instantly killed. The only way the body could have been wedged between the weights and the iron beam, indicated, with the elevator resting at the bottom of the shaft, is as above stated. He had been there hundreds of times before, where it was perfectly safe for him to stand and work, with room for another man, and of course it will never be known how he came under the weights.

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Rudd was 33 years of age and had been married but two months. He was a man of steady habits and exemplary character and was highly prized by his employers.

The postponed December meeting of the Alliance Francaise will not be held until January 5. M. Jacquard Auclair will be able then to take the leading part in the French farce, "L'Anglais tel qu'on le parle." In addition, M. Auclair will give a stereoscopic lecture on the chateaux of the Loire. Several musical numbers will complete the programme. Meanwhile M. Auclair will resume his Thursday-afternoon lectures on the Napoleonic era. The alliance is now settled in its rooms at the new Ebell Clubhouse.

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

MISS HENRIETTA WHITFIELD DUNN, the talented young artist who has won fame for herself by her fascinating conception of the "Frivolous Girl," will soon visit this city. She has accomplished a vast amount of work, and only lately was the subject of an interesting article in the Pacific Monthly, written by Miss Kate Hall of this city. Miss Dunn visited last year and painted portraits in water color, in which medium she works, of some of the prominent society people of the city, among others,

M. L. Gabbert, Z. L. Grover, M. C. Griffin, Elmer E. Gardner, W. H. Grosvenor, Hartford, J. Lee Hagdon, Charles O. Hawley, Murray Johnston, John Kanta, R. D. List, C. E. Mogie, George B. McLaughlin, Mary E. Nichols, Dr. Moody, Dr. Grace Wyckoff, Dr. Mary Stark and Misses Helen Newman, Miss Flint, Mary McLean, Maude Allen, Higgins and Isabella Lucian.

Charity Ball.
The charity ball to be given by Los Angeles Chapter, No. 277, of the United Daughters of the Confederacy on the

weeks, with her little daughter, will leave on Thursday for the North to join her husband, and with him will spend the holidays in San Francisco.

Notes and Personal.
Mrs. Eleanor A. Wolfe of No. 1721 Harvard boulevard will sail on January from New York for Europe. She expects to travel quite extensively through Spain. She will be accompanied by a lady friend whose home is in the East.
Miss Jane Robinson will leave tomorrow evening for Fresno, where she will visit Judge Milas Harris's family and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Monroe have moved from their cottage at No. 319 East Twenty-fifth street to their new home, with an executive committee including two business men from each block in the district.

SPRING-STREET LIGHTS AGLOW.

FIRST BRILLIANT ILLUMINATION OF THE BUSY WAY.

As for a Gay Festival, the Bright Lamps Shone, from Temple Block to Southern End of Thoroughfare. Reflection in Sky Gives Rise to Report of Big Fire.

With the turning on of the current last evening, Spring street vied with Broadway in its brightness, and the boast that Los Angeles is the best illuminated city of its size in the United States can be made with even greater confidence.

The long-expected illumination of Spring street from Temple to the junction with Main, has been watched with pleasure by large crowds on the streets, and until a late hour there was a constant promenade of spectators the entire length of the illuminated section. The lights will burn each night from this time forward.

The improvement has been brought about through the efforts of the Spring Street Improvement Association, and was carried through by systematic work, with an executive committee including two business men from each block in the district.

W. M. Garland is president; W. C. Patterson, vice-president; M. Lissner, secretary, and the Executive Committee is composed of Mark G. Jones, Katherine Colburn, F. W. Woodcock, F. W. Schumacher, Philip L. Wilson, Oscar Mueller, Lieut. Randolph Miner, G. J. Land, J. B. Latham, F. C. Deaton, Doris, Charles Toll, H. W. Frank, W. G. Hutcheson, I. L. Lowman, Dr. Henderson Hayward, Dr. R. W. Whomers, W. C. Bluest, Thomas Haverly, Abbot Kinney, Dr. Ralph Hagan, O. T. Johnson, Dr. John R. Haynes, T. S. Henry and O. W. Calhoun.

A law passed at the last session of the State Legislature, through the efforts of the Southern California Improvement Association, provides that the costs of posts in such lighting schemes may be assessed against the property fronting on the street so benefited. This improvement was made under the provisions of the State law.

The posts used on Spring street are on the same general style as those on Broadway, although they have fluted columns, the base is swelled and ornamented, instead of being perfectly plain, as are the Broadway posts. There are 124 posts, with a total of 244 candles, and each has a total of 244 candles, and each has a total of 244 candles.

Philanthropic Club.
The members of the Philanthropic Club have issued invitations for a New Year party to be given at Kramer's on Monday evening, January 1.

Sixteenth Birthday.
Miss Maude Funderbaker was given a surprise in honor of her sixteenth birthday a few days ago at her home, No. 1246 South Olive street. Games and other amusements were enjoyed and those present were: Misses Adele Singleton, Elaine Bauer, Elsie Bauer, George McCreedy, C. Frankel, C. Smith, T. Inch, W. Boyle and E. Logan.

WANT LARGER PARKS.
Improvement Associations of Second Ward Will Ask City to Buy Tract Adjoining Echo Park.

The seven improvement associations of the Second Ward, backed by the Second Ward Civic Alliance, will ask the city to extend the borders of Echo Park.

The initial step was taken last night at the annual meeting of the Edendale Improvement Association, and is to be taken up by each of the other associations of the ward.

The city will be asked to purchase the tract of about ten acres lying between Echo Park and Sunset boulevard, and bounded by Leland drive and Echo Park road. This land is mostly held by Thomas Kelley and M. R. Brainerd, and it is said they are willing to part with it for a very reasonable price, in order that the northern limit of the park may be extended. Petitions were circulated last night, and will be taken through their respective districts by representatives of each improvement association.

The Edendale association elected officers for the new year last night as follows: President, Fred B. Johnson; vice-president, Louis A. Dunn; secretary, Mrs. A. Mental; treasurer, Miss R. E. Scott; trustees, F. W. Kelly and F. S. Clark; sergeant, J. Whalen.

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grows, the interest in sport is increasing. A track is now being prepared on Miami Flat for the races of the carnival, on a level spot of ground readily reached from the city.

Frank Fisher, of Payson, supposed to have been lost in Toole Basin in the flood which lately swept down the mountain streams, has been found. He was without food or fire for five days and was almost crazed from exposure. His extremities were frostbitten and he could have existed but a short time longer.

A mysterious disappearance is that of M. C. Williams, whose clothing, and bedding were found in the channel of Pinal Creek after the last storm. It is believed the man was swept away by the flood during the height of the flood. The body of a man went past the Roosevelt dam site at the time of high water.

Last Saturday L. M. Byrd, a miner committed suicide in his cabin near Globe by shooting himself through the head. He had been a sufferer from fatal neuritis.

Probate Judge P. C. Robertson has been cleared of the charges of criminality against him in connection with the records of his office. It appears to have been nothing more than errors in bookkeeping.

A number of jumpers have been drifting around the hills near Globe and there is a prospect of deep trouble at the beginning of the new year. In one case the jumpers have occupied the claim already and are menacing with firearms any one who approaches. The sentiment of the district is almost unanimous against such process.

Globe is to have a four-story hotel, "The Dominion," with capacity for seventy-one guests. It is to be open about April 1.

Work will be commenced this week tearing down the old Gila county Courthouse and jail to make room for the new \$100,000 Courthouse. The county prisoners will temporarily be cared for in a brick warehouse.

Last week some Graham county cattlemen found a big buck deer in a comparatively level country. A half dozen men joined in the chase and within a couple of miles succeeded in lassoing the buck. It is a fact, though not generally known, that the average cow pony can run faster than a deer.

JOINT STATEHOOD.

"EASY" ON RESOLUTIONS.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES)

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 18.—The first "Joint Statehood Convention," held in Tucson Saturday night, proved very different from that which had been advertised. There were just three "delegates" present from towns outside of Tucson. One was Allen T. Bird, editor of the Nogales Oasis, and the others were C. F. Ainsworth and Thomas J. Prescott, two Phoenix lawyers. From Albuquerque, N. M., came ex-Delegate B. R. Rodey, W. R. Childers and A. E. Miers. The last named spoke in Spanish and seemed to think that the only objection Tucson had against Joint Statehood was a possibility of losing the Territorial University. Ainsworth entertained about the same view of the opinion of his home town concerning the capitol.

About 300 people attended the meeting. Most of them went for entertainment. That the callers of the "convention" were afraid that a majority of the audience was against them was shown by the fact that no resolutions were adopted, for in any way was it attempted to secure the sense of the meeting. It is understood that Rodey will remain in Arizona. The next two weeks and that he will attempt to hold another "convention" in Phoenix in fair week.

NOTES OF PLAINS AND HILLS.

The grade of the Twin Buttes Railroad from Tucson to the mine is practically done and track laying will begin within a few days.

It is rumored that the Detroit Copper Company will soon commence construction of an electric line to reach copper-mining properties near Metcalf, which are to be directly connected with the smelter at Morenci.

The last city election was held without adhering closely to the terms of

the primary election law. In order to validate the election, it is proposed that the retiring Councilmen shall formally choose the successful candidates as their successors.

Hundreds of tramps are drifting along the Southern Pacific Railroad and the police officers of Tucson are making this city as uncomfortable as possible for them. It means fifteen days in the chain gang to get caught.

Jesus N. Garcia at Metcalf Thursday stabbed and killed his mistress, Concepcion Villa. Garcia then thrust a pistol under his chin and fired. The bullet hurt him very little and the man is now recovering in the hospital at Clifton.

Last week at the Bland mine in Santa Cruz county, Ed Hill was killed by the accidental explosion of a blast. Mine-owners state that the accident occurred because Hill had economized by buying an inferior grade of fuse.

Sunday morning at Sanford, Sid Henry shot and killed Ben Crain in a gambling row in a roadside saloon. Henry claims that Crain had seized him and was choking him at the time the fatal shot was fired.

Pedro Garcia last Wednesday drifted into a ranch at Palo Alto, forty miles south of Tucson, with a bullet wound in his left leg. He was unable to even tell how he came to be in his pitiable plight. His insanity appears to be permanent and the man has been sent to the asylum at Phoenix.

Another of the Clifton orphans, for whose possession the New York Foundling Asylum has appealed to the United States Supreme Court, has passed away. The orphan was an inmate of the family of J. C. Reed of Clifton.

Thirty-six carloads of cattle were shipped yesterday by Vail & Gates to California, most of them to be sent to Santa Rosa Island off the coast of Santa Barbara county.

Judge Alexander Campbell of Los Angeles, a former resident of Tucson, is visiting in this city.

Baby Chief of the Osaes.

Emory Gibson, 10 years old, has been chosen "baby chief" of the Osaes Indians in accordance with an ancient tribal custom of that tribe. Every third year a new baby chief is selected, and this year the title was bestowed on the Gibson boy, whose father, a white man, married a full-blooded Osaes maiden. The lad's Indian name, conferred upon him by Tom Tall Chief, is Skink-Kah-Hah-He-He. A five-day feast celebrated the new baby chief's elevation to the honored position.

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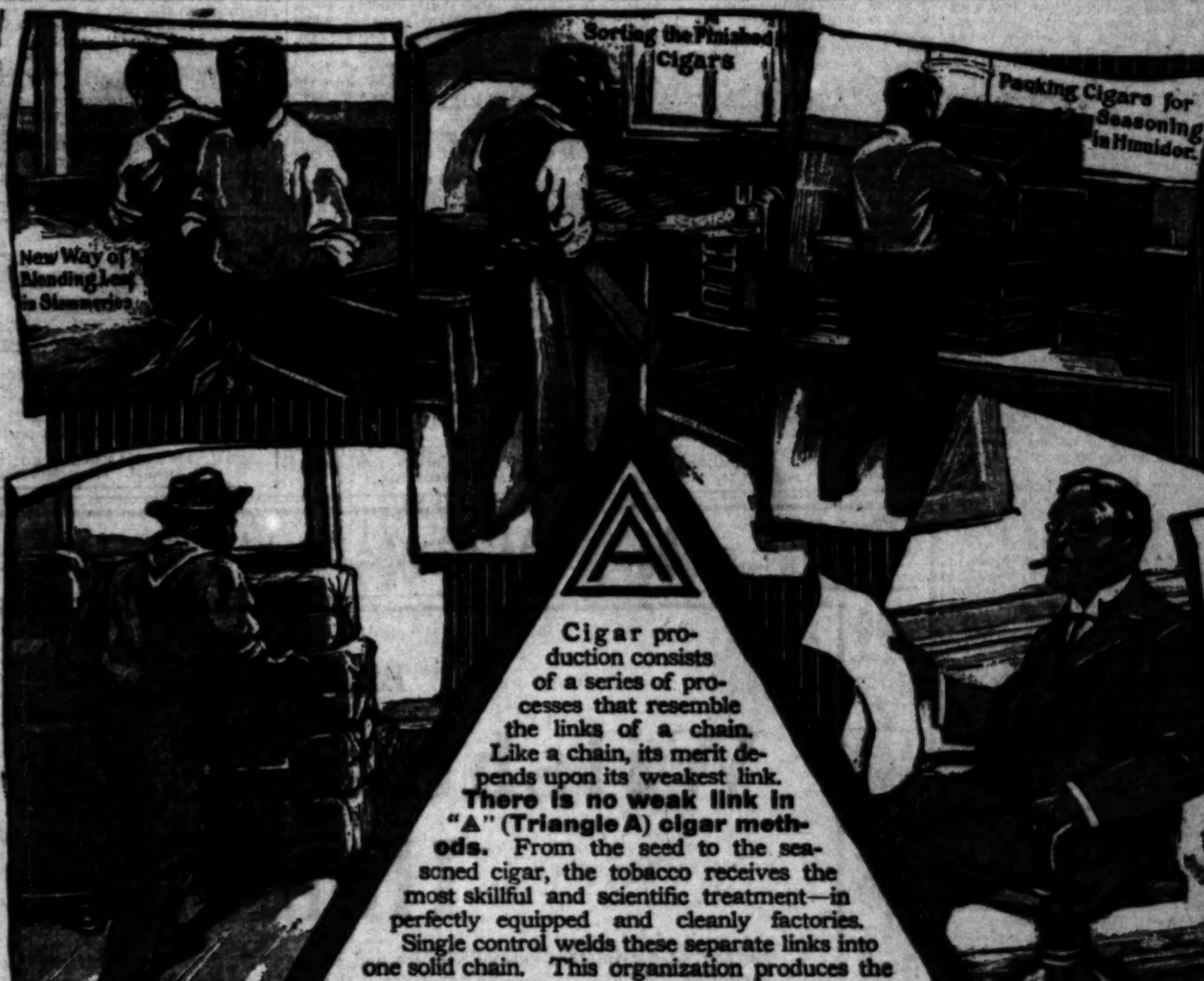
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In the testimony before the New York Investigating Committee it was established that a bureau was organized in 1895 to control legislation. One man was put in charge of the legislation of the United States and Canada. He would select the best men to handle legislation in each State. No vouchers were required of him except his requisition, and he was expected to deal with men who could produce results. It was his province to bring pressure to bear and prevent rejection of men who were not to the liking of the insurance magnates. There was paid him by one company alone in the last four and one-half years \$45,000 as salary and \$20,000 for various other purposes, of which the sum of \$17,000 was for work as legislative agent.

It will occasion no surprise to learn that one of the companies sent \$2500 for this purpose to Missouri four years ago. The legislative agent had absolute authority to draw on any branch office for any amount of money that he wanted, and was not required to give any information as to what the money would be used for. The checks showing how some of this money was spent were very prudently destroyed. To any one familiar with legislation and the ways of those who seek to influence legislation by corrupt means, it is manifest that the fund so raised was for the purpose of influencing legislators directly or indirectly.

With these companies in practical control of the money supply of the United States, having more power over the money market than the government itself, they could in the course of time have absolutely owned State Legislatures and their avarice might have gone further in securing the election or defeat of State and national officers. In the course of time, instead of having a government by the people and for the people, it would have been a government by the few, with wealth in the hands of a few, and the possibilities of there had been no interruption in the operation and methods of some of these companies.

I do not believe any company, whose officials divert funds without objection on the part of the directors, or that is willing to corrupt our legislators, should be allowed to do business in this State. They should do honest business or no business. If they cannot exist without surreptitious violations of law, or bribery, it is better for the people that they be excluded from the State entirely. The laws cannot be too strict and enforced too aggressively in regulating the conduct of those entrusted with such power as those who handle the insurance millions, and they should be held to the same degree of accountability before the bar of justice as public officials are.

It is not wealth about which the people complain; wealth in itself is a blessing; but the abuse of wealth is a curse. It is not insurance companies the people object to, but the breaches of trust on the part of some of those running the insurance companies. The people understand these things, and know that, while some insurance people are crooked, just as some bankers are crooked, it does not follow that all insurance men or all bankers are without honor. While demanding the exposure and punishment of insurance crooks and crooks of every other kind, the people of Ohio the other day elected a president of a life insurance company as Governor of their State. He is an honest man, and eminently qualified and worthy of the place. This shows that the people are not so blinded by the exposures as to strike money any connected with the same line of business. They can discriminate between the good and the bad.

GAME NOTES AND COMMENT.

BY THE SPORTSMAN.

Crystallized into a definite movement last week by Henry W. Keller, president for a reduction of the duck bag limit, as last seems likely to accomplish further good work for the conservation of California game. At intervals for several seasons, far-seeing sportsmen have taken the ground for fifty birds was too many for one man to kill in a day, and attempt to secure a further limitation of the bag at the hands of the State proving futile through the opposition of the San Francisco clubmen, some of whom certainly are anything but sportsmen. It has appeared best for the local shooters to voluntarily impose a restriction upon themselves it only to start the game protection ball a-rolling again.

That this will work some hardship is conceded. No one expects the San Francisco clubmen--some of them, that is to curtail their sport until they have to. It is said fifty is not enough for "some of them" now.

A good, practical argument is made by Henry Keller, who has studied the situation carefully. Keller has killed as many birds as any one, but has learned better. He says there are thousands of dollars invested in duck clubs in Southern California today, and that the reduction of the limit to thirty-five will tend to maintain the present supply, and keep the preserves well stocked for years to come. That the ducks can long stand the drain of fifty bird bag limits, Mr. Keller is not prepared to admit.

It is not thought there will be any serious opposition to a thirty-five bird bag limit. By way of ascertaining the sentiment, Mr. Keller has sent out circular letters to the secretaries of the various gun clubs asking them to broach the matter to their various organizations.

Several clubs have already limited themselves. The Corcoran Club recently enacted the proposed limit. The Bolca Club allows twenty-five birds a day, but shoots morning and night, so the members can bring up fifty.

The only fault likely to be found with the reduced limit is that it tends to put good and poor clubs more nearly on a parity, and the same is true of shots. The latter can hardly be classed as much of a disadvantage, however.

Some men who have spent years learning to shoot, without other return than the direct proceeds of their skill may object, but the sportsman proper is glad to see the newcomers have a chance.

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16 THE CITY IN BRIEF. A BRIGHT GIRL.



NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Pentapolis Officers.
Pentapolis Lodge, No. 302, F. and A. M., last night elected officers as follows: C. H. Brown, Worshipful Master; O. D. Stone, Senior Warden; H. H. Clarke, Junior Warden; N. C. Fordham, Tyler. Jury Discharged.
The term trial jury in the United States court was discharged yesterday, as there will be no more jury cases this term. The new term will open the second Monday in January, when a new trial jury will be drawn.
Snack Gets Watch.
A sneak thief stole two old-style gold watches and three cheap gold rings yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth Hutchinson at No. 259 North Union avenue. The fellow got into the house by unlocking the front door.
Grocery Burned.
A suspicious fire of unknown origin caused damage of \$500 yesterday evening to a small stock of groceries belonging to Isaac Kohn in a small store at No. 1900 East Jefferson street. The store started in the attic being the store, none of the family being home at the time.
Thieves and Rascals Steal.
Thieves broke into the store of the Pacific Hardware Company on Tuesday night and stole a lot of knives, razors and revolvers. A suspect in the same thieves went through another hardware store on East Fifth street, the store started in the attic being the store, none of the family being home at the time.
All in the Same Net.
W. B. Steinfield, chauffeur for H. E. Huntington, was caught by the speed cops yesterday, while speeding his automobile on Pasadena avenue. Mr. Huntington was not in the car at the time, and hence the unfortunate driver had to wait at the Police Station until a friend could bail for him. He will answer today.
Shoplifters Lifted.
Julia Martin, who lives at No. 311 West 11th street, was arrested by the Whittier jewelry store yesterday afternoon and charged with petty larceny. She was taken to the City Jail, but being refused. Some of the clerks in the store noticed the woman acting in a suspicious manner and called in Patrolman J. J. Walker, who found in her clothes a ring which the Whittier jewelry store identified as theirs and some jewelry.
Peiterson's Kind Act.
J. S. Smith, tired and disgusted with life, and a victim of consumption, will be shipped to Arizona today by Patrolman J. J. Murphy, and will go to work on a sheep ranch in the effort to regain his health. Murphy found him sitting on the curb at Los Angeles street between Second and Third streets utterly disheveled with his hair matted and his eyes closed. He was given a new life again through Murphy's kindness.
Dinner for the Poor.
The Salvation Army is making its usual arrangements for furnishing baskets filled with provisions, sufficient for a family of five, to be distributed to serve a small family for a day or two. Where people are sick and needy, and who are unable to get to their wants will be sent to brighten the Christmas anniversary. For this reason, the army has responded generously to their appeal for supplies.
Saved His Own Life.
William Henry, employed as a carpenter at Huntington's, cut his head so severely with a hatchet yesterday that he would probably have bled to death but for his own thoughtfulness before he received his cut. He cut his head and to stop the spurting blood, he grasped himself so tightly around the wrist that it stopped the flow of blood. It was with difficulty that his grip was loosened as he lay unconscious, but the act revived him, and his wound was properly dressed at the Receiving Hospital.
Going to Bernice.
James E. Dunlop has sold to E. A. Hancock, who lives at the south-east corner of 5th and East Second streets, 100x150 feet to an alley. Dunlop is a native of Bernice, Mo., and the beautiful ornamental trees, shrubs and flowers. The sale was made by the court, and Dunlop is now in Bernice, where he has valuable connections from the British government. The buyer has heretofore invested freely in San Pedro property. He is from Iowa, and is disposing of his property in this State, in Nebraska and Dakota to invest in Southern California.
To Help Humans Society.
Members of the Los Angeles Ministerial Union have agreed to each give one sermon in behalf of the work of the Los Angeles Humane Society, and to ask for new members. Dr. Robert McIntyre preached on this subject last Sunday, and Monday morning Rev. C. C. Pierce will preach in Memorial Baptist Church, on South Grand avenue, on the work this society is doing to protect children. It is the hope of the society that it will soon be employed of a night officer, as well as one for day work. This night officer would be particularly to look after the interests of young girls whose occupations necessarily cause them to be out at night, and to guard them from evil associations.
About Things That Grow.
"Seasonable weather prevailed during the week, except the cold rain and as the soil is becoming very dry from the prevailing desert winds," says the weather bureau. The need of rain is becoming quite apparent. Flooding and seedling continue, however, and some farmers have already finished; vegetation is not growing very well on account of the cold and lack of rain. The days were warm and nights cool with frost in various

18 BREVITIES.

Every 25 pearl operaglass I had in sold and I cannot duplicate them, but not wishing to disappoint my customers, I am giving my regular \$5.00 glasses for \$5 while they last. Beautiful assortment of pearl operaglasses, with handles, at \$10, \$12.50 and \$15. J. P. Delany, 209 S. Spring street.
The San Francisco office of the Los Angeles Times is in room 41, Chronicle building, Telephone Main 1472. Subscriptions and advertisements taken. Visitors will find copies of The Times on file, and are welcome to call and read them.
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The glove orders issued by the Goetz Glove Co., 421 S. Broadway, are appreciated by the ladies of all Southern Cal. They include the choice of the best glove stock in the country.
"Pygmalion and Galatea" by Dobson students at Dobson Auditorium, 10th and Broadway, for the Remembrance Club Xmas fund. Tickets 25 and 50c.
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Remember Bethlehem with a Christmas donation. Notify Dana W. Barker, 510 Vine street, Telephone 9021, Main 5728.
Christmas present—drophead White or Domestic sewing machine, all kinds at prices, \$20 up to \$35. Broadway.
Christmas mince pie. Woman's Exchange, 10th and Broadway, Hill. Orders taken not later than Friday.
Calendars—5c, 10c, 15c, worth up to 25c. Dillingham's, 215 West Second.
Assaying night school, 312 S. First St.
There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union for Miss Payson Graham, R. E. Corigan, W. C. Kirby, Co. H. S. Zimmelle, H. S. Seavy, Charles Burman, P. D. Bell, A. C. Sutton, Barron & Miller, Tennis Mat-theiser, R. H. Harris, W. B. Hayes, Miss May Hensler, Rob Sarum, W. L. Beach and Mrs. C. M. Hoffman.
VITAL RECORD (BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES).
Births.
LEWIS, To Mr. and Mrs. M. Lewis, infant, Riverside county, Cal., Dec. 7, 1934, a daughter. At Colgrove, Dec. 7, to the wife of Edward Cole, a son.
Deaths.
BROWN, In this city, December 12, 1934, Samuel T. Brown, aged 52 years and 4 months. Funeral from the chapel of Robert L. Garrett & Co., No. 50 North Main street, Tuesday, December 12, at 10 a. m. Interment, Rosehill cemetery.
DENHAM, At his late residence, No. 1201 East Thirty-seventh street, December 12, 1934, Henry Denham, formerly of Hollywood, aged 71 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence on Thursday, December 13, at 2 p. m. Friends invited.
STREPTHER, At his late residence, Cal., December 12, 1934, W. Strepther, aged 12 months. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock Thursday, December 13, at the residence, 1201 East Thirty-seventh street. Friends invited.
DOYLE, December 12, James Doyle, beloved husband of Mary Doyle, aged 52 years. Remains at funeral parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor, No. 101 North Grand avenue, Interment, Rosehill cemetery.
PETERLIN, At his late residence, December 12, 1934, George C. Peterlin, aged 52 years. Funeral services at 1:30 p. m. today. Interment, Rosehill cemetery.
JONES, At 121 E. 26th st., Dec. 12, 1934, Mrs. Elanora Jones, aged 52 years. Funeral from the parlors of Peck & Chase Co., 425 South Hill st., today at 1 o'clock. Friends invited. Interment Rosehill.
Marriages Licenses.
RECORD-WHITELOCK, Carroll W. Record, aged 34, a native of Maine, and Edna White-lock, aged 21, a native of Iowa and resident of Claremont, Cal., were married by Rev. J. J. Murphy, at his residence, 101 North Grand avenue, December 12, 1934.
BRISTON-YEARBA, Archie C. Briston, aged 21, a native of California, both residents of Los Angeles.
GARVER-SMITH, John M. Garver, aged 34, a native of Pennsylvania, both residents of Los Angeles.
RICHMOND-HAMILTON, Ella M. Richmond, aged 21, a native of Pennsylvania, both residents of Los Angeles.
HAMILTON, Isaac Hamilton, aged 31, a native of Missouri, both residents of Los Angeles.
COOK-WATKINS, James Cook, aged 31, and Hattie M. Cook, aged 21, a native of Illinois, both residents of Los Angeles.
NIELSON-NELSON, Chris Nielson, aged 31, a native of Denmark and resident of Los Angeles, and Bertha M. Nielson, aged 21, a native of California and resident of Los Angeles.
KIMBALL-JACKSON, Ernest W. Kimball, aged 31, a native of California, both residents of Los Angeles.
ANDERSON-JACKSON, Ernest W. Anderson, aged 31, a native of Pennsylvania, both residents of Los Angeles.
N.A.S.E. Attention.
The funeral of Bro. Cliff J. Rude will be held from the parlors of Bruce Brothers, 510 and Broadway, at 1 p. m. Thursday, December 13, 1934. Interment at New Calvary cemetery.
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CHEAPER BALL ON THE TAPIS.

Coast League Magnates Plan to Reduce Prices.

Old Popular Rates to Again Go Into Effect.

Shorter Season Predicted.

Other Ball Doings.

Good news for the faithful baseball fan in stock.

After a season's trial in which it proved every bit as big a frost as predicted, the Pacific Coast League is planning to return next season to "popular prices"—twenty-five cents for admission to the various ballparks of the circuit whatever that may be, four, six or eight cents.

Thirty-five cents is not much of an increase over twenty-five, and in view of the class of ball, the magnates thought it would be "stood for" by the game's patrons without murmur, but they reckoned without their host.

Some of the fans remained loyal, and pined without getting sore, but the majority did not, and the festive hammer came out of the tool chest all along the line until there was enough "knocking" going on to run a camp of spiritualists.

The raise of ten cents was denounced as "outrageous" and an attempt on the part of the league to get rich, which is abhorrent to the average fan, who, strange to say, doesn't want to see the game prosper any too much financially so long as he is contributing to it.

Then, too, the class of ball was not up to expectations; it rather fell off. Thirty-five cents has worked its own end, and the general admission price, and there will probably be nothing further stirring on that score hereafter.

It will be amusing to see Henry Harris, Jim Morley and some other of the magnates come round to the old order of things after expressing such satisfaction with the working of the increased price. They haven't yet, but on good authority it is learned such a move is in prospect.

The league circuit is not settled yet; far from it. The northwestern towns are divided upon the subject of staying in; the league is not yet sure whether it wants them with the long jumps incidental, or would prefer to concentrate.

Fresno, Bakersfield and San José, are mentioned as successors of the northern circuit. If one goes, the other must follow suit.

Oakland proved a flat failure. This last season, and it is up to the club owners there whether they stay in the game or not.

The California league was a light little proposition that was made up, and more than one of the magnates would be willing to return to the old order of things.

Why not put a club in Pasadena to work the Oakland system with Los Angeles and give continuous ball? San Francisco and Oakland are setting up north. Fresno and San José might be taken in to add variety to the league.

Another thing that will interest the fans is the agitation for a shorter season. Players both here and there are cutting the year in two has not helped as much as expected. Looking over the weeks on each end is being recommended at present.

A general cut in salaries all along the line is on the tapis of the league. Some clubs carried too many and too high paid players for their attendance and lost heavily.

Reduced salaries mean cheaper ball, because good men will not stand for a cheap article at all, and there you are, Mr. Manager.

W. H. Lucas is again stirring up trouble in the north, and much of the reason is that the great San actually took water. The one man draft is the only concession the minors have ever been able to hammer out of the majors, though individual leagues, such as the Pacific Coast, in rare instances have been treated fairly in their demands.

The associated minor leagues have won one fight they have waged against the minors, that the great San actually took water. The one man draft is the only concession the minors have ever been able to hammer out of the majors, though individual leagues, such as the Pacific Coast, in rare instances have been treated fairly in their demands.

Hereafter the one man draft, prayed for by managers, will be the rule. Ban Johnson of the American made a bold bluff as usual in behalf of the majors, but for once the small fry got together and the battle array was so imposing that the great San actually took water. The one man draft is the only concession the minors have ever been able to hammer out of the majors, though individual leagues, such as the Pacific Coast, in rare instances have been treated fairly in their demands.

For motor bikes. BOX SPRINGS CLIME. (SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.) RIVERSIDE, Dec. 19.—Box Springs grade will be the scene of another interesting contest when the motor cyclists of San Bernardino, Redlands and Riverside will try for supremacy on Christmas Day. Entries have been received from all over the town in Southern California announcing the hill-climbing contest. Lorraine Knoll, who were prominent in the Thanksgiving auto contest, are working up this test for the motor bikes. The race will be a handicap, and each type and grade of motorcycle may have a chance. There are nine prizes, as follows: Gold medal, value \$20, first prize; second, framed picture; third, pair of gaudy gloves; fourth, motorcycle saddle; fifth, a bicycle lamp; sixth, ornamental parlor lamp; seventh, pocket knife; eighth, oil lamp; ninth, solar gas lamp.

Yachtman Sands Criticized. NEWPORT (R. I.) Dec. 19.—Fred P. Sands, one of the best-known yachtmen in this country, is critically ill at his home here. He has been in poor health for some time and about a week ago took a bad turn. He is a member of New York Yacht Club, the Newport Yacht Racing Association, the Rhode Island Yacht Club and the Narragansett Bay Yacht Racing Association.

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O'Brien the Favorite, But Betting is Light.

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Men's ALL WOOL SUITS, OVERCOATS AND ULSTERS—All bright, fresh new goods; nicely made, well trimmed and good fitting—in all regular sizes. Garments that were made to retail for \$12.50. Our Great Purchase Sale Price.....\$6.45

Men's FINEST QUALITY SUITS, OVERCOATS AND ULSTERS—In all the latest style models, newest weaves and colorings. Consisting of serge, worsted, cashmere and chevrons—not an old style garment in the lot; in fact, you'll pay \$17.50 for their equals down in the high rent district. Our Great Purchase Sale Price.....\$9.45

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Worse than Expected. There is a man at Ottawa who is a personal appearance in the law. He has reacted that the law is a waste of time. The other morning he came down town with his clerk and said: "I'll bet I can tell what the law is for breakfast this morning." "What did I have?" replied the clerk. "You had eggs," replied the lawyer. "You are mistaken," said the clerk. "I had eggs yesterday morning," said the lawyer.

Adam, said Mother Eve, "I would put a few cutworms in your garden." "What for?" asked Adam. "To eat the holes in the leaves," replied Eve. "I wish to make an egg shirt waist," (Houston Chronicle City Journal).

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Stop just a moment in your Christmas shopping to take a look at our new windows.

Look at the shoes closely and see the style and gentle look in every pair.

Notice the windows filled with beautiful Christmas slippers—you'll undoubtedly find a happy suggestion among them for someone's Christmas gift.

We are showing for the first time many exclusive novelties in women's fancy and boudoir slippers. Dainty colors and exquisite styles and very inexpensive prices.

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MOTORMAN TO BLAME?

Collision Between University Car and Gravel Wagon Almost Results in Frightful Tragedy.

Through what passengers declare to be the gross carelessness of Motorman No. 635 of University car No. 401 of the Los Angeles Railway, M. A. Fowler, a young teamster, narrowly escaped death under the wheels of his runaway team at Seventh and Spring streets yesterday noon.

J.W. Robinson Company. 225-227-229 SOUTH BROADWAY.

Store open only one evening—Saturday, December 23.

Useful Gifts for Women

Useful gifts are plentiful enough—no use giving things that can serve no practical purpose.

The display of Furs, Shawls, Kimonos, etc., in our Suit Department, includes a broad variety of the comparatively inexpensive sorts as well as the extremely rich kinds which you have learned to look to us for.

- Black Ice Wool Fascinators 65c to \$2.50.
- Silk Shawls \$2.00 to \$5.
- Crocheted Shawls \$1.25 to \$4.
- Silk Dressing Sacques \$7.50 to \$65.
- French Flannel Dressing Sacques \$4 to \$10.
- Eiderdown Dressing Sacques \$1.25 to \$5.
- Long Kimonos of silk, \$7.50 to \$40.
- Long Kimonos of French Flannel, \$12.50 to \$25.
- Long Kimonos of Eiderdown, \$5 to \$30.
- Fur Scarfs \$5 to \$75.
- Fur Collarettes \$25 to \$40.
- Fur Capes \$25 to \$75.
- Real Seal Coats \$200 to \$375.

Aprons at Half and Less

Dainty white Tea Aprons in dozens of different styles—a maker's sample line—at less than half their average worth.

Certainly a streak of luck for people who want useful but inexpensive gifts for women.

Short tea aprons of crisp white lawn, daintily trimmed with embroideries, laces and ribbons—the 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 grades at 50c

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26-inch Union Taffeta Silk Umbrellas with selvedge edges, silk cases, cords and tassels; fancy trimmed orange wood, fir and acacia handles, as well as handles of pearl and sterling silver; steel rods and imported Fox frames. Choose at \$2.50.

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Gifts for Grandmother

The opportunity for a great saving in the choice of a pretty and sensible gift is offered by a sale of silk dress patterns at special prices.

- 16 yards 21-inch black peau de sole, in box, \$16.00.
- 16 yards 23-inch black armure, in box, \$20.00.
- 15 yards 24-inch peau de crepe, in box, \$15.00.
- 5 yards white Peau de Cygne, in box, \$5.00.
- 3 yards embroidered wool waistings, \$1.50.

For the Children

The simple gift—a rag doll—a fur set—may give as much pleasure as the most expensive or elaborate things.

- Rag dolls, 25c to \$2.00.
- Union suits, 25c to \$2.00.
- Stockings, 10c to \$2.00.
- Fur sets, \$2.50 to \$2.85.
- Cap, 50c to \$2.00.
- Infants' embroidered sacques, \$1.25 to \$2.00.
- Carriage robes, \$2.00 to \$10.00.
- Coats, \$5.00 to \$10.00.
- Infants' booties, 50c to \$1.50.
- Reefers (1 to 14 years), \$4.25 to \$10.00.
- Dolls, 25c to \$1.00—half price.
- Baby sweaters, \$1.75 to \$2.25.

For Husband or Brother

Something practical; something he can put to daily use—nothing safer than stylish furnishings.

- Fancy vests, \$1.50 to \$4.00.
- Nightshirts, 50c to \$1.50.
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